(vi) Capital Subsidy to new hotel projects in 1 star to 3 star category and heritage basic category under the scheme of Incentive to Accommodation Infrastructure of the Department of Tourism.

(vii) Free publicity and promotion through publicity material of the Department of Tourism, Government of India and India tourism Offices in India and abroad.

During the last three years the Interest Subsidy granted to all the eligible hotels (State-wise figures are not maintained) including Heritage Hotels under the Interest Subsidy Scheme is as follows:

(Rs. in crores)

Year	Amount of Interest Subsidy
2000-2001	8.50
2001-2002	9.10
2002-2003	9.00

Development of Spiritual Tourism

2292. SHRI ABU ASIM AZMI: Will the Minister of TOURISM AND CULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the names of places of pilgrimage which have been selected for and are being develped as Tourist Centres or Centres of Spiritual tourism;

(b) what is the total outlay under the Tenth five year Plan;

(c) what is the total budgetary allocation since the scheme, including the budget for the current year; and

(d) what are the brief particulars of the schemes sanctioned, schemes completed and of the schmes under implementation at each place?

THE MINISTER OF TOURISM AND CULTURE (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) Some of the important tourist destinations which have been taken up for development in the Tenth Plan: Ajmer, Pushkar, Hardwar, Raishikesh, Nagarjunasagar, Bodhgaya, Kurukshetra, Tawang, Puri, Kanyakumari, Kamakhya, Dakshineshwar, Mahabilipuram and Hampi. The Development of these places is taken up under the Product/Infrastructure and Destination Development Scheme and Integrated Development of Tourist Circuits scheme.

(b) The Planning Commission has indicated a total outlay of Rs. 2900 Crores for Department of Tourism for the Tenth Plan.

(c) Budget allocation for Product/Infrastrucutre and Destination Development and Intergrated development of Tourist Circuits are as under:—

(Rs. in Crores)

	Product/Infrastructure and Destination Development	Integrated Development of Tourist Circuits
2002-03	43.00 (Incl. Supplementary grants)	41.50
2003-04	100.00	60.00

(d) A Statement showing projects sanctioned for the first Two years of the 10th Plan is Annexed.

Statement

State-wise tourism projects sanctioned during 2002-03 and 2003-04 (As on 29.11.2003)

(Rs. in Lakhs)

Sl. No.	State/UT	No of Project Santioned	Amt. Santioned	Amt. Released
1	2	3	4	5
1.	Andhra Pradesh	4	1057.50	710.00
2.	Assam	11	923.59	773.91
3.	Arunachal Pradesh	8	198.84	154.50
4.	Bihar	8	505.00	505.00
5.	Chattisgarh	11	365.00	119.10
6.	Goa	1	0.50	0.50
7.	Gujarat	4	216.12	74.33
8.	Haryana	14	890.74	751.49
9.	Himachal Pradesh	32	844.32	785.18

1	2	3	4	5
10.	J and K	5	864.38	859.47
11.	Jharkhand	1	393.00	393.00
12.	Karnataka	9	1206.49	867.19
13.	Kerala	13	926.36	856.86
14.	Madhya Pradesh	24	947.38	693.91
15.	Maharashtra	12	1302.76	1225.55
16.	Manipur	3	87.68	27.35
17.	Meghalaya	4	71.85	22.40
18.	Mizoram		347.01	115.21
19.	Nagaland	7	816.50	460.23
20.	Orissa	5	452.05	142.25
21.	Punjab	3	23	14.60
22.	Rajasthan	22	2576.51	2392.45
23.	Sikkim	17	896.74	449.01
24.	Tamil Nadu	1	1392.55	912.83
25.	Tripura	8	258.34	82.94
26.	Uttaranchal	4	550.30	420.30
27.	Uttar Pradesh	6	795.80	794.80
28.	West Bengal	13	779.42	305.22
29.	Andaman and Nicobar	0	0	0
30.	Chandigarh	4	12.75	10.63
31.	Dadar and Nagar Haveli	2	8.07	6.46
32.	Delhi	21	1231.07	1176.09
33.	Daman and Diu	4	314.57	255.46
34.	Lakshadweep	0	0	0
35.	Pondicherry	3	253.04	79.85
	TOTAL	303	21509.23	16438.07